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1. Arnulfo Arias, unsuccessful candidate in the recent Panamanian election, is reported by Adolfo Baez Bone, a member of the Nicaraguan revolutionary staff now in Costa Rica, to have propositioned the latter group for aid in a revolt against the government of Panama. A decision concerning aid is not yet definite,

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[REDACTED] it will be denied, not only to avoid involvement with the United States, but to prevent endangering the revolutionaries' success against Somoza.

2. Arias' activities are being watched by Costa Rican agents.

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